

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ADULT MENTAL HEALTH DIVISION P.O. Box 3378

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In reply, please refer to: File:

March 18, 2005

Dear Applicant:

RE: ADDENDUM 2 TO RFP HTH 420-10-05

The following changes have been made to RFP HTH 420-10-05:

Section 4 has been changed as follows:

Section 4, III., B., 3., Evaluation Criteria, Service Delivery on Page 4-6 has been deleted and replaced with the following paragraphs.

3. Service Delivery

Total 55 Points

Evaluation criteria for this section will assess the applicant's approach to the service activities and management requirements outlined in the Proposal Application.

Evaluation will include the following:

a. Demonstrated capability of service delivery system to meet the goals and objectives of the RFP including, but not limited to, appropriateness to consumer populations, communities, and regions; and capacity to provide translation and interpretation services in all of the languages (including American Sign Language) described in the Scope of Services.

(20 points)

b. A clear description of the services for consumers from point of entry to completion of services. Description should address procedures for response to DIVISION referrals, criteria and

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procedures for face-to face or telephone interpretation, and procedures for document translation including security of documents containing information on DIVISION consumers. Any services subcontracted out must be included in the description.

(10 points)

c. A reasonable estimate of the number of consumers it will serve, and where applicable, of the number of units it will provide.

(5 points)

d. A statement that the applicant shall not refuse a referral, and that it shall not have an exclusionary policy that is inconsistent with the DIVISION's guidelines.

(5 points)

- e. The program incorporates "best practices/evidence-based practices," has literature to support this, and has a system for implementing and maintaining best practice program integrity.

 (5 points)
- f. A description by the applicant of the involvement of the consumer in the decisions regarding the interpretation services the consumer receives.

(5 points)

- g. A statement by the applicant that is ready, able, and willing to provide services throughout the time of the contract period.

 (2 points)
- h. A statement by the applicant that it has read the Request for Proposal and will comply with DIVISION requirements.

(3 points)

Thank you for your attention to these changes.

Sincerely,

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